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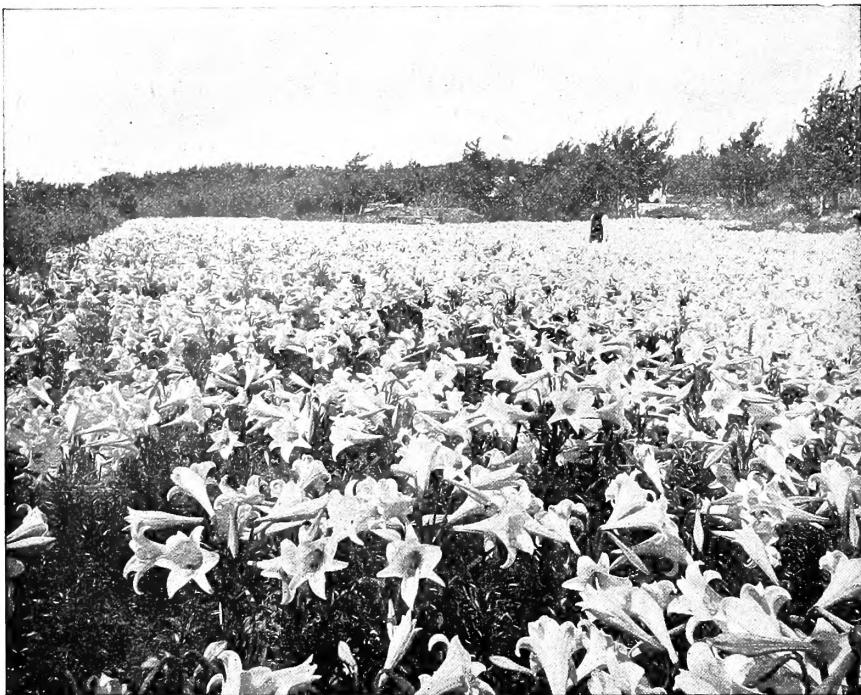
Highest Award, Pan-American Exposition, 1901
 Awarded us for **LARGEST** and **BEST COLLECTION** of **BULBS**

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View of One of Our Fields of *Lilium Longiflorum* in Bermuda

Lilium Harrisii

Nothing that can be handled is more profitable than *Lilium Harrisii* when well grown, as there is a good and sure demand for it at all times. We are very particular about the *Harrisii* that we handle. Our stock is not picked up indiscriminately from small growers, but is grown for us by only a few selected growers whose stocks are healthy and free from disease. Our bulbs have never been finer than they are this season. For Christmas flowering bulbs should be potted as early in August as they can be procured. For this purpose our 6 to 7-inch size is preferable, as this size can be brought into bloom much earlier than the larger bulbs. When forced for Christmas, they require a temperature of at least 65 degrees at night.

NOTE.—We desire to call particular attention to the fact that we do not offer 5 to 7-inch bulbs as usually sold, but selected bulbs, measuring 6 to 7 inches, thus giving a much better grade of bulbs than is offered by other houses.

6 to 7-inch bulbs, (sold out)
7 to 9 " " " "
9 to 11 " " " "

Callas Now ready for delivery

CALIFORNIA-GROWN BULBS

Our stock will be found to be of very superior quality. Our bulbs are grown for us by one of the most careful and experienced growers on the Pacific coast. They are very carefully cured, and are perfectly sound, with good, strong centers—an important consideration. Florists will find that these dormant bulbs produce much finer flowers and in greater abundance than plants that have been flowered from year to year—the difference in results being so great that it well repays the seeming expense of an outlay for bulbs each year. It will be found to be cheaper to buy new bulbs than to carry over old bulbs from year to year.

Selected bulbs, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $1\frac{3}{4}$ in. in diameter, \$6.00 per 100; \$50.00 per 1,000
Mammoth " $1\frac{3}{4}$ to 2 " " 8.00 " " 70.00 " "
Exhibition " 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " 10.00 " "

Freesia Refracta Alba Now ready for delivery

Very large quantities of these bulbs are now grown for winter-flowering, as they are very useful and profitable, especially for small florists who sell their own flowers. The earlier this stock is planted, the better results will be obtained.

Bermuda-grown. —Finest selected bulbs, $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ in. in diameter, \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1,000.

French-grown. —Mammoth size, $\frac{3}{4}$ in. and up in diameter, \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

Lilium Longiflorum

Now ready for delivery

AN EXTRA CHOICE SELECTED STRAIN

We offer a limited stock of a very fine strain of *Lilium Longiflorum*, which we tested last year in our own greenhouses, and found the finest *Longiflorum* that we have grown for years. It is the true type, free from disease, clean, healthy stock. Our trials last year showed this to be a uniformly true and even grade of stock, and we are sure it will give satisfaction. These bulbs have been grown in a new district, and can be delivered by September 1. As Easter is very early this year, these bulbs will be even more valuable than in ordinary seasons. As we have only a limited stock, we can not offer more than one or two cases to any one purchaser. Try a case or two of this, and see if it is not the best *Longiflorum* you have ever grown.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, \$10.00 per 100; case of 200 bulbs for \$18.00
9 to 10 " " 20.00 " " 125 " " 22.50

Lilium Longiflorum (Japan-grown)

Ready for delivery early in October

These are being planted very largely by many growers. They have been extensively planted the past season on account of the high price of the Bermuda bulbs, and some growers prefer them. We offer very carefully selected stock of the very finest Japanese bulbs obtainable.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, \$6.00 per 100; case of 300 bulbs for \$14.25
9 to 10 " " 9.00 " " 200 " " 15.00

Lilium Longiflorum Multiflorum

This is a selected type, blooming much earlier and flowering more abundantly than the regular type of *Japan Longiflorum*. It is only a little more expensive than the ordinary *Longiflorum*, but is more than worth the difference in cost, as it blooms much more evenly and flowers much more abundantly.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, \$6.00 per 100; case of 300 bulbs for \$15.00
9 to 10 " " 9.00 " " 200 " " 17.00

Lilium Longiflorum Giganteum

This flowers much more freely than *Multiflorum*, and the flowers are larger and longer and have more substance. It is distinguished by its dark brownish stem. Growers should give this a careful test. It should be grown cool until the buds are set, after which it will stand any amount of forcing.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, \$7.00 per 100; case of 300 bulbs for \$18.75
9 to 10 " " 12.00 " " 200 " " 21.00

Lilium Candidum (The Annunciation Lily)

Now ready for delivery

This is still used for forcing in some localities where it is a favorite. It is also very desirable for planting outdoors in connection with hardy shrubbery, etc., as it is as hardy as can be. There is nothing more beautiful in hardy plants, and it should be used largely for outdoor planting. It grows about four feet high, bearing large clusters of medium sized flowers, delightfully fragrant. As it starts into growth very early in the fall, the earlier it is ordered in the fall, the better results will be obtained. Extra selected bulbs, \$5.00 per 100.



View of One of Our Calla Lily Fields in California

Japan Lilies

Ready for delivery in November

Auratum. —Bulbs 8 to 9 in. in circumference	\$6.00 per 100
“ 9 to 11 “	9.00 “
Album. —Bulbs 8 to 9 in. in circumference	8.00 “
Melpomene. —Bulbs 8 to 9 in. in circumference	7.00 “
Rubrum. —Bulbs 8 to 9 in. in circumference	6.50 “
“ 9 to 11 “	9.00 “
Macranthum (Platypetalum). —White flowers, spotted golden yellow extra fine. Bulbs 9 to 11 in. in circumference	16.00 “

Gladiolus Colvilli

Ready for delivery in October

Alba "The Bride."—Pure white flowers. Dwarf habit. Invaluable for forcing and for outdoor blooming. This is being more and more largely planted, as it is one of the most useful cut flowers that can be grown. **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1,000.**

Rubra.—Like ALBA except color, which is red. **\$1.00 per 100; \$6.50 per 1,000.**

Astilbe, or Spirea

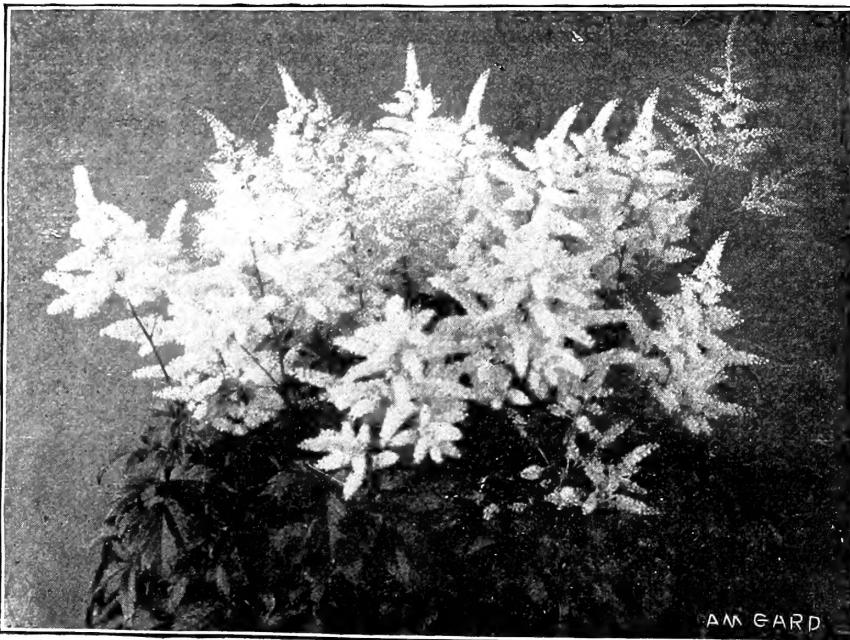
Ready for delivery in November

Gladstone.—New. This is by far the best of all the Spireas for winter-flowering. No other Spirea compares with it in any way. It flowers in immense feathery snow-white plumes, which are very freely produced. This not only makes fine specimens when flowering singly, but three clumps in a 12-inch pot make magnificent Easter plants. We are now enabled to offer this hitherto expensive variety at a very low price, and it is worth very much more than the difference in price. Large clumps, **\$8.00 per 100; case of 250 clumps for \$16.00.** Extra selected clumps, very heavy, double the size of the regular grade, **\$15.00 per 100; case of 125 clumps for \$15.00.**

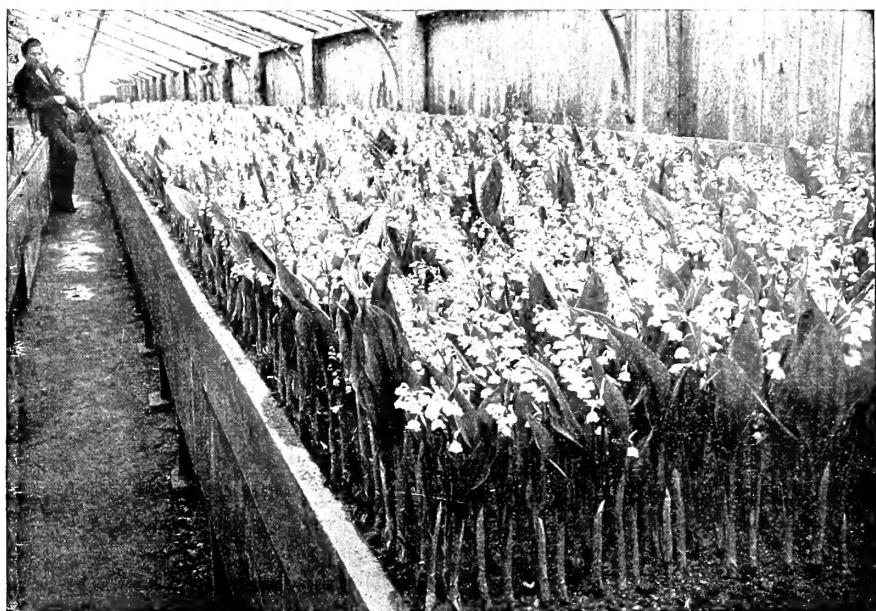
Japonica.—Large imported clumps, grown especially for forcing. **\$5.00 per 100; case of 250 clumps for \$10.00.**

Compacta Multiflora.—More compact than Japonica; an extra fine variety for forcing. **\$6.00 per 100; case of 250 clumps for \$12.00.**

Astilboides Floribunda.—A very strong grower, and quite distinct from Japonica or Compacta Multiflora, and preferred by many for Easter forcing. Flowers are pure white, very large and feathery. **\$5.00 per 100; case of 250 clumps for \$10.00.**



Spirea—Gladstone



Photograph of a House of our Premier Valley

Lily of the Valley

Ready for delivery in November

Pierson's Perfection.—This is an extra selected grade for those who desire the finest Valley grown, and is the grade that should be used for very early forcing. Price of Valley has been driven down so low that it has been at the expense of quality, and growers are beginning to realize that a really first-class article can not be furnished at prices at which Valley has been selling. The very best German Valley grown has been sent to London and St. Petersburg to growers who have been willing to pay the price for a very superior article, and very few, if any, of the finest pips grown have reached this country; but there is beginning to be a demand here for a better grade of Valley than is generally offered, and in order to meet this demand, we are importing this grade of pips, which we have had selected for us with great care, and which are the very finest pips grown. They will produce the largest spikes, with the largest number of bells, and will give the very largest percentage of first-quality flowers. This grade of Valley is more than worth the difference in price to every grower; and we can recommend it without hesitation, knowing that it will give perfect satisfaction. **\$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000; \$35.00 per case 2,500 pips.**

Pierson's Premier.—This is a very fine selected Valley—a grade under Perfection—and can also be used for early forcing. For those who want a superior article at a moderate price, this grade will give very satisfactory results. We have sold large quantities of it, and buyers have always been very well satisfied. It is good value at the price charged, and much better than extra quality three-year-old German pips generally handled, and can be forced earlier.

\$1.50 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000; \$30.00 per case 2,500 pips.

Extra Quality.—This is the standard quality three-year-old German pip generally sold, and is the quality usually handled in this country by most dealers. It is as good Valley as can be handled at the price. It should never be used for very early forcing, but for late forcing will give very good results.

\$1.25 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000; \$25.00 per case 2,500 pips.

Clumps for Outdoor Planting.—Large clumps, **\$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100.**

Cold-storage Lily of the Valley

Now ready for delivery

We have a fine stock of cold-storage Lily of the Valley of our very choicest Perfection grade for summer and fall forcing. While the new importations of high grade can be forced for Christmas-flowering, buyers will find the cold-storage Valley very much more satisfactory for very early forcing than newly imported pips, as newly imported stock will not give the requisite amount of foliage until after January 1, so that the cold-storage Valley will be found preferable for very early forcing. After January 1, new importations can be used.

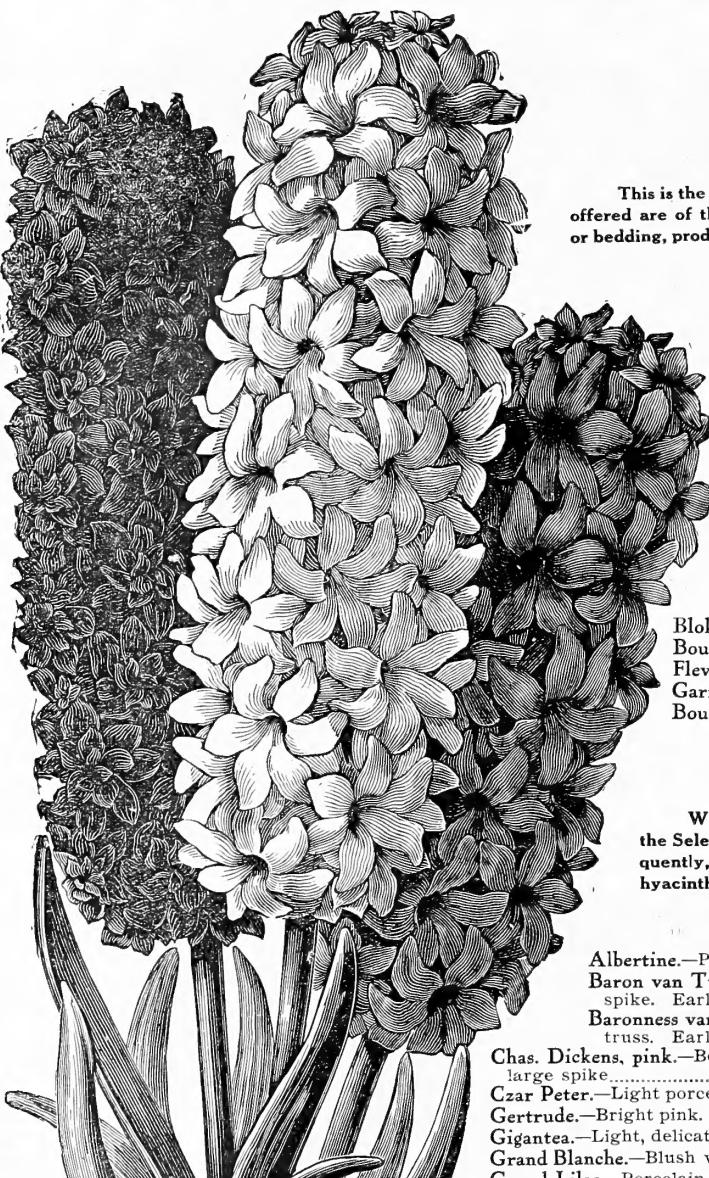
\$10.00 per case 500 pips; \$17.50 per case 1,000 pips.

DUTCH HYACINTHS

Ready for delivery in September

SELECTED NAMED

This is the grade that should be used for pot culture or for growing in pans where flowers of highest quality are desired. The bulbs offered are of the largest size and finest quality obtainable. The varieties offered are the finest and those best adapted for winter-flowering or bedding, producing the largest and most perfect spikes and the most beautiful flowers.



DOUBLE

Bloksberg.—Light blue. Good truss
Bouquet Tendre.—Carmine-rose
Flevo.—Pure white. Large bells. Fine truss
Garrick.—Azure blue. Large compact spike

Our selection of varieties, \$4.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1,000.

SINGLE

	Per 100	Per 100	
Albertine.—Pure white. Large spike. Early.....	\$7.00	King of the Yellows.—Pure yellow. Large bells and fine spike.....	\$6.50
Baroness van Tuyll.—Pure white. Large truss. Early.....	6.00	La Grandesse.—Pure white. Splendid bells. Large spike.....	8.00
Chas. Dickens, pink.—Beautiful pink. Finely formed, large spike.....	6.50	L'Innocence.—Pure white. Fine massive spike.....	7.00
Czar Peter.—Light porcelain blue.....	8.00	La Peyrouse.—Fine porcelain blue.....	5.50
Gertrude.—Bright pink. Fine compact spike.....	6.00	Marie.—Dark blue with purple shade.....	5.50
Gigantea.—Light delicate flesh-pink. Compact spike. 6.00		Mme. Van der Hoop.—Pure white. Large bells.....	6.50
Grand Lilas.—Porcelain lilac. Fine truss and bells....	6.00	Moreno.—Waxy pink. Large bells.....	7.00
Grand Maitre.—Deep porcelain blue. Large truss. Extra.....	5.50	Robert Steiger.—Deep bright pink. Small compact truss.....	5.50
Grandeur a Merveille.—Blush white, or light flesh....	5.50	Schotel.—Light-blue. Fine.....	6.50
King of the Blues.—Dark blue. Extra large spike.....	5.50	Sonora.—Nankeen yellow. Fine, close spike.....	6.00

DOUBLE

	Per 100	Per 100	
Bloksberg.—Light Blue.....	\$6.00	La Virginite.—Blush white. Extra fine for forcing or bedding.....	\$5.50
Bouquet Tendre.—Carmine-rose.....	5.50	Othello.—Very dark purple, almost black.....	6.50
Flevo.—Pure white. Large bells. Fine truss.....	6.00	Prince of Orange.—Blush rose. Fine spike.....	6.00
Garrick.—Azure-blue. Large compact spike.....	6.00		
Bouquet Royal.—Pure white.....	6.00		

Our selection of varieties, \$5.50 per 100; \$45.00 per 1,000.

FINE NAMED

We recommend this grade particularly for bedding, and it is also very satisfactory for forcing. The bulbs are a size smaller than the Selected Named, but can be offered at only a slight advance over the price of Mixed Hyacinths in Separate Colors, and consequently, are much more desirable; for when bedded out or used for forcing, they bloom evenly and at one time, while the mixed hyacinths, no matter how carefully selected, bloom more or less irregularly and unevenly.

SINGLE

	Per 100	Per 100	
Albertine.—Pure white. Large spike. Early.....	\$5.50	King of the Blues.—Dark blue. Extra large spike.....	\$4.00
Baron van Tuyll, pink.—Fine pink. Large spike. Early.....	4.00	King of the Yellows.—Pure yellow. Large bells and fine spike.....	5.00
Baroness van Tuyll.—Pure white. Large truss. Early.....	4.50	La Grandesse.—Pure white. Splendid bells. Large spike.....	6.50
Chas. Dickens, pink.—Beautiful pink. Finely formed large spike.....	5.00	L'Innocence.—Pure white. Extra large truss.....	5.50
Czar Peter.—Light porcelain blue.....	6.50	La Peyrouse.—Fine porcelain blue.....	4.00
Gertrude.—Bright pink. Fine, compact truss.....	4.50	Marie.—Dark blue with purple shade.....	4.00
Gigantea.—Light, delicate flesh pink. Compact truss....	4.50	Mme. van der Hoop.—Pure white. Large bells.....	5.00
Grand Blanche.—Blush white. Good spike. Large bells.....	4.50	Moreno.—Waxy pink. Large bells. Very fine.....	5.50
Grand Lilas.—Porcelain lilac. Fine truss and bells.....	4.50	Robert Steiger.—Deep bright pink. Small, compact truss.....	4.00
Grand Maitre.—Deep porcelain blue. Large truss. Extra.....	4.00	Schotel.—Light blue. Fine.....	5.00
Grand Vainqueur.—Bright rose. Fine truss.....	4.00	Sonora.—Nankeen yellow. Fine, close spike.....	4.50
Grandeur a Merveille.—Blush white, or light flesh. Large truss.....	4.00		

DOUBLE

	Per 100	Per 100	
Bouquet Royal.—Pure white.....	\$4.50	Bouquet Royal.—Pure white.....	\$4.50
La Virginite.—Blush white. Extra fine for forcing or bedding.....	4.00	La Virginite.—Blush white. Extra fine for forcing or bedding.....	4.00
Othello.—Very dark purple, almost black.....	5.00	Othello.—Very dark purple, almost black.....	5.00
Prince of Orange.—Blush rose. Fine spike.....	4.50	Prince of Orange.—Blush rose. Fine spike.....	4.50



Our selection of varieties, \$4.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1,000.

DUTCH HYACINTHS

Ready for delivery in September

Separate Colors

These are largely used for bedding, and by many florists are used for forcing, but we do not recommend them for forcing, as nothing but named varieties should be used for that purpose. We offer the very best quality of these and not the inferior grades which are sometimes offered for less money.

SINGLE

	Per 100	Per 1,000
Rose	2.75	\$24.00
Dark red	2.75	24.00
Blush white	2.75	24.00
Pure white	2.75	24.00
Light blue	2.75	24.00
Dark blue	2.75	24.00
Yellow	2.75	24.00

DOUBLE

	Per 100	Per 1,000
Rose	2.75	\$24.00
Dark red	2.75	24.00
Blush white	2.75	24.00
Pure white	2.75	24.00
Light blue	2.75	24.00
Dark blue	2.75	24.00



We were awarded GOLD MEDAL, Highest Award,
For our Exhibit of Bulbs at the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, 1901

Miniature Hyacinths, or Dutch Romans

Ready for delivery in September

These *Dutch Romans* are valuable, not only for cutting, but also for growing in pans. They can even be used for bedding where a cheap hyacinth is desired, producing surprisingly large spikes of bloom, considering the size of the bulbs. We offer only the finest named sorts, which bloom evenly and at one time—those that have been found most satisfactory for forcing, and those that produce the largest spikes of bloom and of the most desirable colors. The bulbs are of the largest size and of first-class quality, and the prices at which they are offered should not be compared with the prices of inferior grades or of mixtures in separate colors usually offered, which bloom more or less irregularly, while our named sorts bloom evenly and at one time, making them very much more desirable and valuable.

EXTRA SIZED BULBS, 12 TO 14 C/M IN CIRCUMFERENCE

	Per 100	Per 1,000	Per 100	Per 1,000	
Baron van Tuyll.—Pink	1.75	\$16.00	Grandeur a Merveille.—Blush white	2.00	\$18.00
Baroness van Tuyll.—Pure white	2.25	20.00	King of the Blues.—Dark blue	1.75	16.00
Chas. Dickens.—Pink	2.00	18.00	L'Innocence.—Pure white; extra fine	2.25	20.00
Czar Peter.—Light porcelain blue	2.50	22.00	La Peyrouse.—Porcelain blue	1.75	16.00
Gertrude.—Bright pink	1.75	16.00	La Grandesse.—Pure white	2.50	22.00
Gigantea.—Delicate flesh-pink	1.75	16.00	Mme. Van der Hoop.—Pure white	2.25	20.00
Grand Maitre.—Dark blue	1.75	16.00			

FOR GRAPE AND FEATHERED HYACINTHS, SEE PAGE 9

ROMAN HYACINTHS

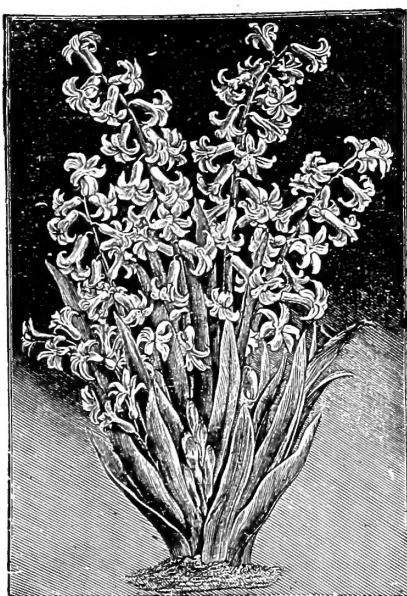
Now ready for delivery

The crop of French bulbs, especially in the larger sizes, is short this season, owing to a long drouth which prevailed in France but having purchased a large quantity very early in the season, we were able to buy at much lower prices than had we purchased later. The bulbs that we offer are of the very finest quality, obtained from the very best sources, carefully packed and graded, so that they can not fail to give the very best satisfaction.

White Romans.—Extra quality bulbs, 12 to 15 c/m in circumference, **\$2.75 per 100; \$23.00 per 1,000.**
Selected bulbs, 13 to 15 c/m in circumference, **\$3.25 per 100; \$28.00 per 1,000.**

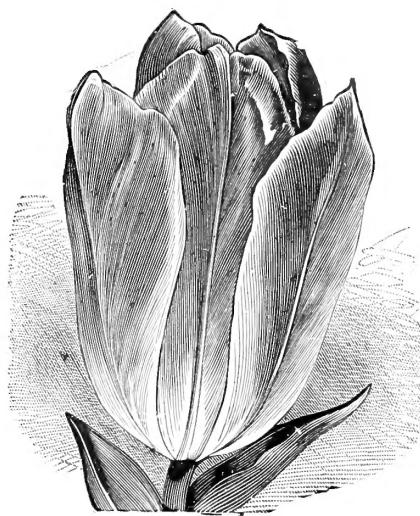
Pink Romans.—These are somewhat later than *White Romans*. They are very popular on account of their beautiful color—light flesh-pink. Flowers are semi-double. Extra quality bulbs, 12 to 15 c/m in circumference, **\$2.75 per 100; \$23.00 per 1,000.**

White Italian or Red-skinned Romans.—Very desirable for late forcing, with much heavier flower spikes than *White Romans*. Extra quality bulbs, 12 to 15 c/m in circumference, **\$2.75 per 100; \$23.00 per 1,000.**



White Roman Hyacinths

CRIMSON RAMBLER ROSES.—We can supply a grand lot of this valuable rose, extra strong field-grown plants, with fine canes four feet or more in length. Extra heavy stock. Ready in November. **\$16.00 per 100**



TULIPS

Ready for delivery in September

FINEST VARIETIES FOR FORCING AND BEDDING

Gold Medal, Highest Award, Pan-American Exposition, May, 1901

On this page is a photograph showing part of our large exhibit of tulips at the Pan-American Exposition. We planted there about fifty thousand bulbs, which when in flower in May were a revelation to all who saw them, and which, as the *Florists' Review* expressed it, was the "greatest display of tulips ever seen outside of Holland." The varieties used in our exhibits were Artus, Joost van Vondel, Kosamundi Huykman, Bizard Verdict, Cardinal's Hat, Duc van Tholl, Scarlet, Wapen van Leiden, Couleur Ponceau, Rachel Ruisch, Cottage Maid, Keizerskroon, L'Immaculée, Chrysolora, Duchesse de Parma, Crimson King and Yellow Prince. These were planted in large masses of solid colors, producing a striking effect.

On the following page, in the upper left-hand corner, we give a view of the largest bed, containing over thirteen thousand bulbs. The lower photograph shows some of the other beds, with the Horticultural Building in the background. Altogether, our exhibit created a sensation, and was one of the chief attractions at the opening of the Exposition in May. We received the highest award for tulips, both on account of the extent of the exhibit and the high quality of the flowers.

The use of tulips for bedding for early spring-flowering is increasing from year to year, for nothing that can be planted gives such satisfactory returns for the outlay. The use of named varieties is constantly on the increase, as they are much more effective when planted in solid blocks, in separate colors, than when planted indiscriminately. We offer a large variety of the very finest sorts for bedding, and at prices which will permit the use of named varieties, as a great many of the kinds offered cost only a little more than mixed tulips, for which reason and the fact that they are much more effective when planted separately, we invariably advise their use, especially when planted in quantity. All the varieties offered are desirable for bedding, but all are not desirable for forcing. The descriptions indicate those best adapted and most valuable for forcing for winter.

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Artus. —A fine scarlet for bedding; also very good for forcing. A little later than *Crimson King* or *Belle Alliance*. **\$1.50 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.**

Belle Alliance (Waterloo). —Brilliant scarlet. An extra fine forcing variety. **\$2.25 per 100; \$19.00 per 1,000.**

Bizard Verdict. —Bright red, feathered, striped, and bordered with bright yellow. A fine variegated tulip. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Cardinal's Hat. —Dark brownish red—somewhat like *Brutus*, but darker—edge of petals shading to orange. A little later than *Crimson King* or *Belle Alliance*. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Chrysolora. —Pure golden yellow; extra large. Finest yellow tulip for bedding. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Cottage Maid. —An exquisite color—lovely bright pink, heavily marked with white at center and base of petals. The finest pink tulip for bedding, also an extra fine late forcing variety; can not be forced early. Extra. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Couleur Cardinal. —Dark scarlet-crimson—about the color of a *Meteor* rose. Flower is large, long, and pointed. Extra fine for forcing. **Sold out.**

Couleur Ponceau. —Bright cherry, base of petals pure white—an exquisite color. A fine bedder. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Crimson King. —Crimson-scarlet; very brilliant. Fine bedder, also good for late forcing. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.50 per 1,000.**

Duc van Tholl, Scarlet. —Intense dazzling scarlet. Very desirable for early forcing. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.50 per 1,000.**

Duchesse de Parma. —Orange-red, with yellow edge. Very showy. A good forcer and a fine bedder. **\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**

Joost van Vondel. —Wine color, feathered with white—an unusually striking and distinct color. Flower very large, with very long stem. Grand. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Joost van Vondel, White. —The largest and finest of all white tulips. Magnificent for bedding or late forcing. **\$3.00 per 100; \$26.00 per 1,000.**

Keizerskroon (Grand Duc). —Red, heavily bordered golden yellow. Extra large flower. One of the very finest tulips for forcing or bedding. **\$2.00 per 100; \$17.00 per 1,000.**

La Reine (Queen Victoria). —White, slightly shaded pink. A favorite forcing variety, and fine for bedding. **\$1.25 per 100; \$8.50 per 1,000.**

L'Immaculée. —Pure white. A fine bedding tulip, also a fine early forcing variety. Can be forced for Christmas. Almost as early as *Duc van Tholl, Scarlet*. **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.**

Mon Tresor. —Pure yellow; an extra fine large flower. A little deeper yellow and a little larger flower than *Chrysolora*. **\$1.50 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000.**

Pottebakker Yellow. —Yellow, with light scarlet stripe. **\$1.50 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.**

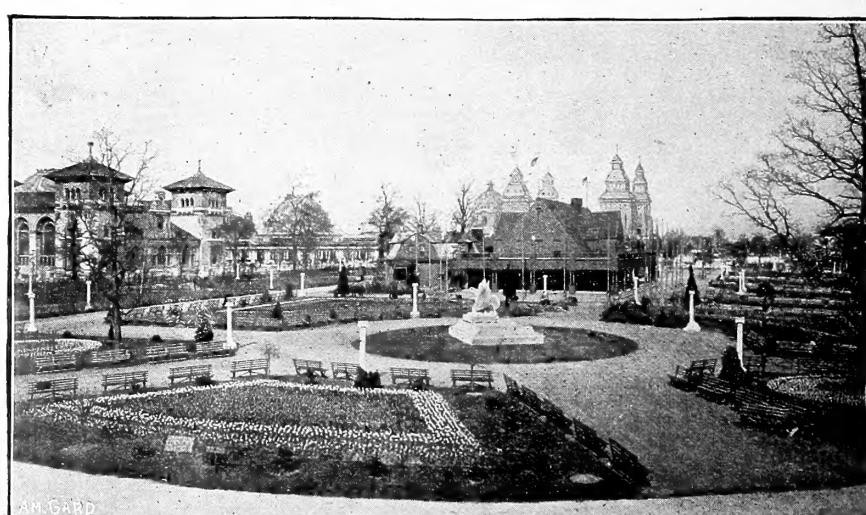
Pottebakker White. —Finest white forcing tulip; also extra fine for bedding. Extra large flower. Very early. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Prince of Austria. —Bright orange-scarlet. Strong grower and very large flower. Extra fine for forcing or bedding. **\$2.75 per 100; \$24.00 per 1,000.**

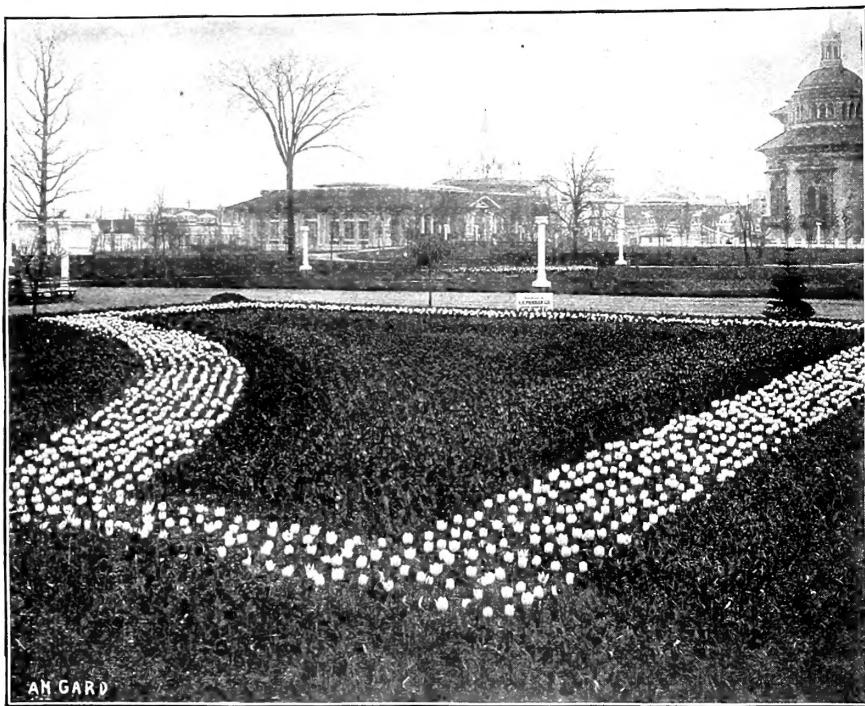
Princess Marianne. —A very large white tulip, slightly tinged pink. An excellent variety for bedding. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Proserpine. —Violet-rose—a lovely color. Extra large and extra fine for early forcing especially, and also extra fine for bedding. **\$3.00 per 100; \$26.00 per 1,000.**

Rachel Ruisch. —A fine pink tulip for bedding. Bright pink, base and center of petals white; a little lighter than *Rose Griselin*. Large flower, with fine stem. We recommend this variety especially for bedding, and it is also good for forcing. **\$1.50 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.**



Bird's-eye View of our Exhibit of Tulips at the Pan-American Exposition



View of one of our Beds of Tulips at Pan-American Exposition, containing 13,000 Bulbs

SINGLE LATE TULIPS

These late tulips are exceedingly fine for planting in borders of shrubbery, and, if possible, should be planted where they can be left from year to year. They grow taller than the early varieties and the flowers are larger and showier also than other tulips. The season of blooming is very long. They come into bloom in May, after other tulips are gone, and are in full bloom Decoration Day. They are desirable for cut flowers, but on account of being late bloomers are of no use for forcing.

Bizards. —Very showy flowers, beautifully blotched, striped, and feathered with crimson, pink, scarlet, rose, lilac, and purple on yellow ground. All colors mixed. **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.**

Byblooms. —Flowers beautifully blotched, striped, and feathered with crimson, pink, scarlet, rose, lilac, and purple on white ground. All colors mixed. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Bouton d'Or. —Pure yellow. Remains in bloom three weeks, flowers increasing in size as they grow older. Exceedingly fine. A grand thing. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Darwins. —These are what are termed *selfs*, or solid colors, and are mostly dark shades, no whites or yellows among them. They are valued because they are very late. They grow very tall, with very strong stems. All colors mixed. **\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**

Gesneriana Spathulata. —This is the true *Gesneriana* and the finest of all late tulips. Flower is very large; dark brilliant scarlet, with black center. **\$1.50 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000.**

Golden Crown. —Sometimes called *The Yellow Gesneriana*. Yellow, with scarlet edge. Very showy. **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1,000.**

Picotee (Maiden's Blush). —A magnificent tulip. White, beautifully margined and penciled on the edges with bright pink. Very delicate and beautiful. **\$1.50 per 100; \$13.00 per 1,000.**

Parrots. —Very singular and beautiful, both in shape and markings. Very highly colored. Markings are not dissimilar to the brilliant plumage of parrots, which suggested the name.

Admiral of Constantinople. —Orange-scarlet.

Lutea Major. —Golden yellow.

Perfecta. —Yellow, scarlet stripe.

Markgraff van Baden. —Inside of flower orange-yellow; outside striped scarlet.

\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

Parrots. —All colors mixed. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

DOUBLE TULIPS

Count of Leicester. —Orange-yellow. Earlier than *Yellow Rose*. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Couronne d'Or. —Yellow, shaded orange. Extra fine for forcing. **\$2.75 per 100; \$24.00 per 1,000.**

Duke of York. —Carmine, edged white. Good for forcing. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Gloria Solis. —Crimson, with yellow margin. Fine bedder; one of the showiest tulips for this purpose; also a fine forcing variety. Very similar to *Tournesol Red* and *Yellow* in color; can not be forced so early. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Imperator Rubrorum. —Very fine bright scarlet. Finest of all double scarlets for forcing. **\$3.00 per 100; \$26.00 per 1,000.**

La Candeur. —Pure white. Fine for bedding, and also for Easter forcing. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Lady Grandison. —Bright scarlet. Very early. Fine for bedding. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Le Blason. —Delicate rose, shaded and striped white. **\$1.75 per 100; \$14.00 per 1,000.**

Mariage de ma Fille. —White, striped cherry red. Extra fine late variety. The largest double tulip. **\$2.00 per 100.**

Murillo. —A magnificent flower, blush white, shaded rose. Large fine flower. Extra for forcing. **\$2.25 per 100; \$19.00 per 1,000.**

Paeony Red. —Fine scarlet for bedding; late; blooms with *Yellow Rose*. **\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**

Rex Rubrorum. —Extra fine scarlet for bedding. Large, full, double flower. Produces a strong contrast when planted with *La Candeur*. Very effective. **\$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.**

Rose Blanche. —Pure white. Very early; earlier than *La Candeur*. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

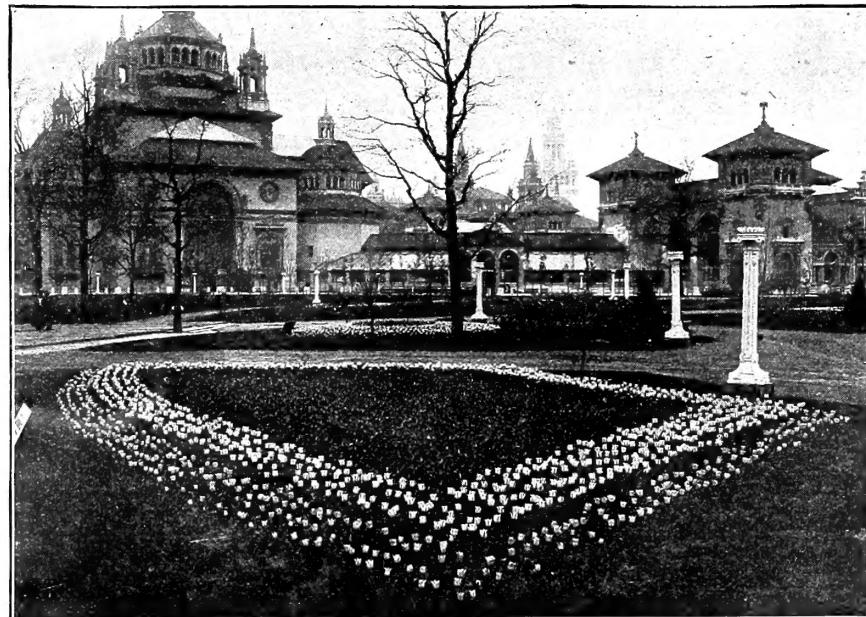
Salvator Rosa. —Deep rose, flamed white. Highly recommended for very early forcing. **\$3.50 per 100.**

Tournesol Red and Yellow. —Scarlet, bordered yellow. Extra fine for forcing. Exceedingly showy. **\$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.**

Tournesol Yellow. —Pure yellow. Extra fine for early forcing. **\$2.50 per 100; \$22.00 per 1,000.**

Yellow Rose. —Bright yellow. Late. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Finest Mixed. —Extra choice mixture from named varieties. All colors. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.50 per 1,000.**



Partial View of our Exhibit of Tulips at Pan-American Exhibition, showing Horticultural Building in the Background

NARCISSUS

Ready for delivery
in September

LARGE SINGLE TRUMPETS

Victoria.—Grand new bicolor. A novelty of great merit. Petals broad and flat, with bold yellow trumpet. An extra large, fine flower. **\$3.00 per 100; \$26.00 per 1,000.**

Empress.—A magnificent variety, white perianth with rich yellow trumpet. Flowers large and of great substance. Similar to *Horsfieldi*, but larger and a stronger grower. **\$2.25 per 100; \$20.00 per 1,000.**

Emperor.—Deep yellow trumpet, sulphur perianth. Immense. The finest of this section. **\$2.00 per 100; \$16.00 per 1,000.**

Golden Spur.—A magnificent single trumpet narcissus with enormous flowers of deep golden yellow. Very early. **\$2.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1,000.**

Grandee (Maximus).—Yellow trumpet, white perianth, broad petals. Late flowering; dwarf. Extra fine. **\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**

Horsfieldi.—Large golden yellow trumpet and pure white perianth. A grand variety for early forcing. **\$2.00 per 100; \$16.00 per 1,000.**

Henry Irving.—Magnificent flower with large golden yellow trumpet beautifully frilled; perianth broad and wide, overlapping. **\$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.**

Principes (*The large Irish Single Yellow Trumpet Daffodil*).—Magnificent large blooms; light sulphur-yellow trumpet, with lighter perianth. Can be forced very early. A very profitable variety for florists on account of its earliness and the low price at which the bulbs can be offered. Extra size bulbs, **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.** Selected mammoth double-nosed, or top-root, bulbs, **\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**

Single Von Sion.—We recommend this strongly in place of *Trumpet Major*, especially for early forcing. Very early—much earlier than *Trumpet Major*—deeper yellow, larger flower, and a much better bloomer. The best pure yellow moderate-priced single trumpet narcissus. **\$1.25 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.**

Trumpet Major (French-grown) for Christmas-flowering. Now ready.—Desirable, other varieties are in the market. For this purpose it should be started very early, during August or early in September. **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

DOUBLE FLOWERED

Double Von Sion, or Double Yellow Daffodil.

—This is one of the most useful and profitable of winter-flowering bulbs, and is forced in large quantities. There is nothing in which quality is so important as in Von Sions—color and form of flower, size of bulb, etc. The flower of the stock we offer is the pure golden yellow. Those who have been troubled with "Green Von Sions" should try our stock. Growers will find it will pay to buy the best Von Sions obtainable.

First sized bulbs, **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Extra size bulbs, **\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.**

Selected mammoth double-nosed, or top root, bulbs, **\$2.25 per 100; \$20.00 per 1,000.**

Alba Plena Odorata.—Double; pure white gardenia-like flowers, exquisitely scented. **75c. per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.**

Incomparable fl. pl. (*Butter and Eggs*)—Full double golden flower, with orange center; good forcer. **\$1.00 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

Orange Phoenix (*Eggs and Bacon*).—Double white flowers with orange nectary. **\$1.25 per 100; \$11.00 per 1,000.**

Silver (Sulphur) Phoenix (*Codlin and Cream*).—Sulphur white. Extra fine. **\$2.25 per 100; \$20.00 per 1,000.**

PAPER-WHITE GRANDIFLORA

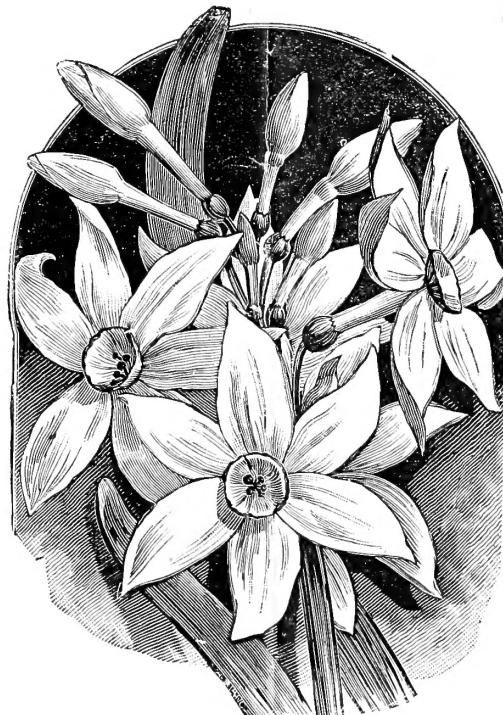
Now ready for delivery

Much larger and better than the ordinary variety, blooming in larger clusters and coming into flower earlier. The bulbs that we offer are of the very finest quality obtainable.

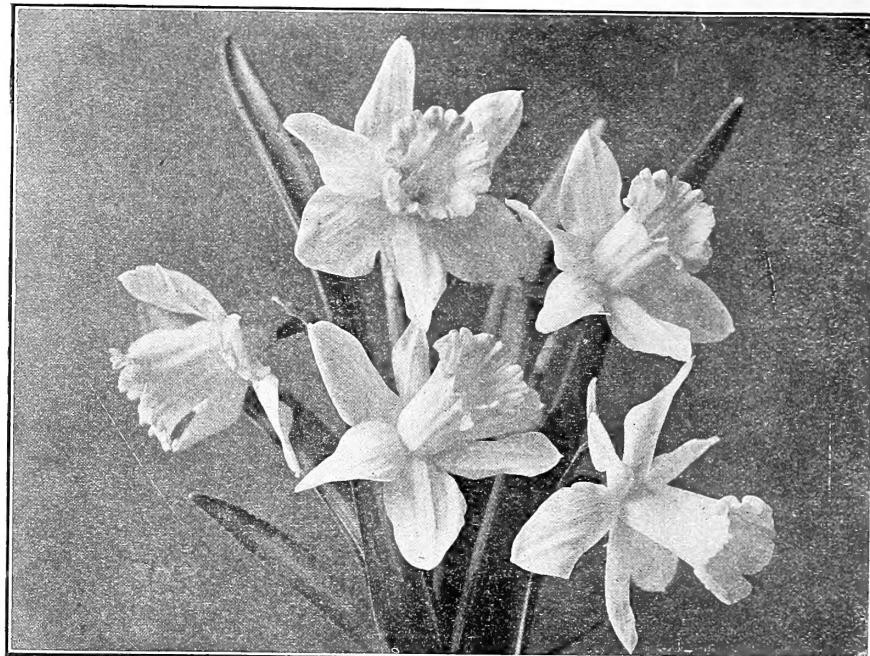
Extra quality bulbs, 13 c/m and up in circumference, 1,250 bulbs to the case. **\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.**

MISCELLANEOUS SORTS

Mrs. Langtry.—The finest of the *Leedsi* type. Broad, white petals, with large white cup, edged yellow. Exceedingly beautiful. A very strong grower and abundant bloomer. Magnificent for late forcing or for outdoor planting. Exceedingly valuable for cutting. **\$1.50 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.**



Paper-white Grandiflora Narcissus



Empress Narcissus

Barri Conspicuus.—Beautiful canary-yellow, with deep golden cup richly edged orange-scarlet. Flowers three to three and a half inches in diameter, borne on long stems. Fine for forcing or outdoor planting. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

Incomparable Stella.—White star-shaped flower, with yellow cup. One of the most beautiful and most easily forced of all the narcissus. **75c. per 100; \$5.50 per 1,000.**

Poeticus (*Pheasant's-eye*).—Pure white with red cup. Very useful for cutting in spring, and it can be planted in borders out-of-doors, where it is perfectly hardy, and will bloom year after year. **75c. per 100; \$4.50 per 1,000.**

Poeticus Ornatus.—(*The Improved Poeticus*). Pure white, with scarlet ring. Much finer in form and much earlier than *Poeticus*. A magnificent cut flower. This is frequently offered at less than the price at which we offer it, but always at the expense of quality. Bulbs offered by us will be found to be exceedingly good value at the price at which we offer them. **\$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.**

JONQUILS

Giant Campernelle Jonquil Rugulosus.—Much larger than the old favorite *Campernelle Jonquil*, a much freer bloomer, and much more desirable, especially for forcing. Beautiful single yellow star-shaped flower, beautifully imbricated, borne in clusters of four to six on a stem, delightfully fragrant. Also very hardy, and invaluable for outdoor planting. **75c. per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.**

Double Jonquil.—Bears clusters of small, very double, deep golden yellow flowers, very sweetly perfumed. A favorite for forcing and outside planting. **\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.**

CHINESE SACRED LILY

Ready in September

(*Narcissus Orientalis*).—A favorite bulb for retailing, as it makes a fine house-plant, and is one of the best selling bulbs for this purpose. We offer the finest quality bulbs, grown in China, insuring a luxuriant growth and a remarkable profusion of flowers. Single baskets (30 bulbs), **\$1.50**; original bundle, containing four baskets (120 bulbs), **\$4.80**; full thousand lots, **\$35.00 per 1,000.**

ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM

75c. per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000

ANEMONES

The Bride.—Single. Pure white. 50c. per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.
 Single.—All colors mixed. 50c. per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.
 Double.—All colors mixed. 75c. per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.

CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE*(Glory of the Snow)*

Deep blue, with white center. \$1.00 per 100; \$6.50 per 1,000.

DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS*(Bleeding Heart)*

Ready for delivery in November

Strong Clumps.—\$8.00 per 100.

GRAPE AND FEATHERED HYACINTHS

Blue Grape.—50c. per 100; \$3.50 per 1,000.
 White Grape.—\$1.00 per 100; \$6.50 per 1,000.
 Feathered.—\$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.

SPANISH IRIS

Fine for late forcing; can be had in flower early in April. Also good for outdoor culture, flowering in the open ground in June, requiring only a slight covering in winter. Claimed by many to be entirely hardy. They are so beautiful that they should be extensively planted.

Belle Chinoise.—Bright golden yellow. Early. Best early sort.

British Queen.—Early. White. Finest white.

Darling.—Dark blue. Early.

Gold Cup.—Darkest bronze. Largest variety. Extra fine.

75c. per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000

Extra fine mixed varieties. All colors, 50c. per 100; \$2.50 per 1,000.

IXIAS

Finest Mixed.—Very showy and brilliant; well adapted for cut flowers and pot-culture. Splendid new large flowering varieties. 50c. per 100; \$2.50 per 1,000.

OXALIS

Bermuda Buttercup.—This has met with a very large sale, as it is an ideal house-plant. Blooms all winter long. Flowers are of good size; bright golden yellow. We offer extra sized Bermuda-grown stock. \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1,000.

Alba.—White. 75c. per 100.

Bowei.—Pink; large. \$1.00 per 100.

Versicolor.—Red and white. 75c. per 100.

DOUBLE RANUNCULUS

French.—All colors mixed. 50c. per 100; \$3.50 per 1,000.

Persian.—All colors mixed. 60c. per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.

Turban.—All colors mixed. 75c. per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000.

SCILLA

Siberica.—Bright blue; early. \$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.

Campanulata. Cerulea.—Blue; tall. 50c. per 100; \$3.50 per 1,000.

SNOWDROPS*(Galanthus)*

Single.—75c. per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.

Double.—\$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

Giant (*Galanthus Elwesii*).—75c. per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000.**SPARAXIS**

50c. per 100; \$3.50 per 1,000

CROCUS

Ready in September

MAMMOTH BULBS

These are extra large selected bulbs, averaging 1½ in. and up in diameter. Varieties offered are also of the very finest quality. They are very desirable for forcing, and these large bulbs are much finer for bedding than smaller bulbs, as they throw an unusually large number of flowers.

David Rizzio.—Dark blue.

La Majestueuse.—Violet, striped white.

Mont Blanc.—Snowy white.

Mammoth Yellow.—Deep golden yellow.

75c. per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000

Prince Albert.—Dark purple.

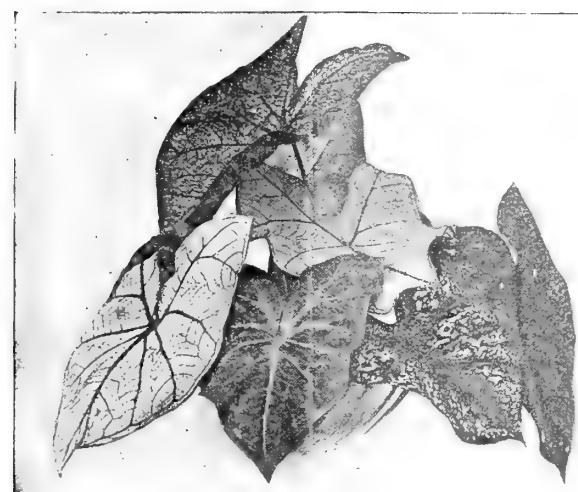
Purpurea Grandiflora.—Dark purple; very largest size. Magnificent.

Sir Walter Scott.—Violet, striped white.

SEPARATE COLORS.—Blue, White, Yellow, Striped. 50c. per 100; \$3.00 per 1,000.



Large-flowered Mammoth Crocus



Fancy-leaved Caladiums

FANCY-LEAVED CALADIUMS

Ready in December

We can supply a fine assortment of the very choicest named varieties, very distinct and very desirable—strong dormant bulbs of large size. These bulbs are grown out-of-doors, and will be found superior to greenhouse-grown plants. Tubers are full-sized, undivided, and are strong and healthy.

Extra sized bulbs, \$12.00 per 100.

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

Ready in December

Bulbs 6 to 9 in. in circumference, \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1,000.
 " 9 to 12 " " 6.00 " " 50.00 " "

TUBEROSE PEARL

Ready in December

Our bulbs are grown in the South, where the climate and soil are peculiarly adapted for their perfect development, and the stock we offer is the finest to be had anywhere.

Extra quality bulbs, \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.

GLOXINIAS

Ready in December

We handle these very largely, and our strain of *Hybrida Crassifolia Erecta Grandiflora* is unequalled, embracing an unusual proportion of spotted, white, pink and other choice colors. Bulbs are of large size.

Finest Mixed.—\$4.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1,000.

Separate colors.—White; red; blue; red, bordered blue; white, bordered blue. \$5.00 per 100.

DAHLIAS

We have a superb collection of dahlias, finest named sorts, comprising *cactus* and *decorative*, *large-flowering* or *show*, *small-flowering* or *pompon*, and *single-flowering* varieties. When selection of varieties is left to us, customers can rely on receiving a fine assortment. In ordering, state which classes are wanted, or, if desired, we will make up a collection comprising all the different classes. *Finest named sorts*, \$8.00 per 100.

GLADIOLI

Ready in December

White and Light.—\$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.

Scarlet and Red.—\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.

Yellow and Orange.—\$5.00 per 100.

Pink and Rose.—\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

Striped and Variegated.—\$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1,000.

Groff's Hybrid Seedlings.—All colors mixed; the most popular strain in America. \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.

Childs.—Giant hybrids, mixed. \$2.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1,000.

Lemoine's Hybrids.—Finest mixed. \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1,000.

Extra Superfine Mixed.—\$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1,000.

HARDY ROSES

Marchioness of Londonderry. —Ivory white. Petals of great substance, shell-shaped. Flowers of large size and perfect, globular form. **\$3.00 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100.**

Frau Karl Druschki. —This is a queen among white roses. Flowers are of the largest size, pure snowy white, with very long buds, shell-shaped petals, opening large and full and of the most beautiful form. A continuous free-blooming variety. Undoubtedly the finest hardy white rose in cultivation. **\$2.50 per dozen; \$16.00 per 100.**

Mrs. R. G. Sharman-Crawford. —Deep rosy pink, outer petals shaded pale flesh. Very large flowers, freely produced. Awarded gold medal National Rose Society, England. **\$2.50 per dozen; \$16.00 per 100.**

Capt. Hayward. —Very large. Bright carmine-crimson. Very choice.

Soleil d'Or. —Superb conical-shaped buds, varying in color from gold and orange-yellow to reddish gold. The flower when expanded is very full, large and globular.

Margaret Dickson. —White, with slight tinge of satiny rose; large and of excellent form.

Ulrich Brunner. —A superb variety.

Baroness de Rothschild. —Light pink, sometimes shaded with rose; very large; cupped form. Good exhibition sort.

Paul Neyron. —A grand rose. The flowers are immense, dark rose color, double and hand-somely formed. Blooms all the season, and is unusually strong and vigorous.

Gen. Jacqueminot. —Bright crimson-scarlet, exceedingly rich and velvety. A strong grower and free bloomer.

Magna Charta. —One of the largest roses grown. Immense flowers. Rich dark pink. Superb.

Mrs. John Laing. —One of the finest varieties, blooming almost constantly. The buds are long and pointed. The open flowers are large, full and double, borne on long, straight stems. A lovely shade of delicate pink, exquisitely fragrant.

Madame Gabriel Luizet. —A fine satin rose, inlaid with silvery rose, heightened at the center. One of the sweetest and most beautiful roses.

Marshall P. Wilder. —Crimson-vermilion; exquisitely shaded and richly perfumed.

Gloire de Paris. (Anne de Diesbach). —A most lovely shade—clear, bright rose; very large and fragrant.

Baron de Bonstetten. —Velvety maroon, shaded with deep crimson; very dark and rich in coloring, and a grand rose in every respect.

Prince Camille de Rohan. —One of the richest dark crimson roses. It resembles Gen.

Fisher Holmes. —Jacqueminot very much, but is much darker in color.

Alfred Colomb. —Brilliant carmine-crimson, of fine globular form. Very fragrant.

Persian Yellow. —Bright yellow—a color very scarce among hardy roses. Foliage is sweetly scented like the Sweet Briar.

Blanche Moreau. —By far the best white moss rose. Long, pointed buds, beautifully mossed.

Chapeau de Napoleon, or Crested Moss. —Beautiful clear pink. Buds crested, and heavily mossed.

Rugosa Rubra. —Deep rose. **\$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100, except where noted**

Rugosa Alba.

Pure snowy white.

MONTHLY AND HYBRID TEA

Etoile de France. —New. Velvety crimson. Fine, long bud. A continuous and free-blooming variety of great merit. **50c. each; \$5.00 per dozen.**

Killarney. —This rose has created a sensation not only as a winter-flowering variety, but expert rosarians claim it to be, without exception, the finest of all roses for outdoor culture. It is perfectly hardy and a constant bloomer. Buds are of exquisite color and shape—lovely silvery pink, long and pointed. **Strong field-grown plants, \$3.00 dozen; \$20.00 per 100.**

Souv. de Pres. Carnot. —Lovely color—outer petals white, center petals delicate flesh-pink. Extra fine. **\$3.00 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100.**

Mme. Abel Chatenay. —Carmine rose shaded deep salmon. Very vigorous, and a constant and abundant bloomer. **\$3.00 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100.**

American Beauty. —Deep rose. Very large and full. Exquisitely fragrant. Constant bloomer.

La France. —Silvery rose, with a satiny sheen. No variety can surpass it in delicate coloring. Blooms continuously.

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. —A grand white constant blooming summer rose, with buds of the largest size, pure white, and of ideal form.

Mme. Caroline Testout. —An exquisite pink rose; buds of loveliest shape and color. Blooms constantly from spring to fall.

Maman Cochet. —Magnificent pink, almost identical with *Bridesmaid* in form and color. Buds of as high quality are produced out of doors as can be grown under glass in winter. One of the grandest outdoor roses.

White Maman Cochet. —Buds long, pointed, pure snowy white. Identical in every respect with *Maman Cochet* except color.

Belle Siebrecht. —Dark carmine pink, very rich. Flowers large and beautifully formed. Long, tapering buds. Very fragrant.

Gruss an Teplitz. (Crimson Hermosa). —Flowers richest scarlet, shading to velvety crimson.

Hermosa. —Deep pink. An old-time favorite. One of the showiest and most satisfactory roses for bedding.

Clothilde Soupert. —White shaded pink, blooming in clusters. A very free bloomer.

Mme. Jules Grolez. —A magnificent hybrid tea. Clear silvery rose, shaded yellow at base. Long, pointed bud. A very free bloomer.

Lady Mary Fitzwilliam. —Delicate rose.

\$2.50 per dozen; \$16.00 per 100, except where noted

Extra Strong Two-year-old Field-grown Plants

Ready for delivery in December



Photograph of a Bed of Crimson Rambler Roses Exhibited by us at the Pan-American Exposition. When in full bloom it was estimated there were not less than 300,000 flowers open at one time

BABY RAMBLER, or MME. NORBERT LEVAVASSEUR

New dwarf perpetual-flowering Crimson Rambler, growing from one and a half to two feet high, blooming when very small, bearing clusters of flowers as large as Crimson Rambler, identical in form and color. As a bedding rose it is unequalled, especially so, as it blooms constantly throughout the summer. The grandest introduction in roses since Crimson Rambler. A grand acquisition. A first-class addition to plants for Easter forcing. **Extra strong field-grown plants, \$3.00 per dozen; \$18.00 per 100. Selected heavier plants, \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100**

CRIMSON RAMBLER

Nothing equals this variety as an all-around hardy garden rose, on account of its brilliant color, profusion of bloom, and length of time the flowers last. It may be used as a climber, or may be grown in large bush form; or, by tying down, can be used for bedding, and when grown in this way is the showiest of all roses. See illustration. We handle this in large quantities, and have a magnificent stock. **\$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100. Selected heavier plants, \$2.50 per dozen; \$16.00 per 100.**

New Pink Rambler DOROTHY PERKINS

A pink climbing-rose which is as popular as Crimson Rambler. It has exactly the same habit, the foliage is identical, and it is alike remarkable for the great freedom with which the flowers are produced. The only difference is in the color, Dorothy Perkins being a beautiful shell pink. Valuable not only as a climbing rose, but a grand rose for bedding and also for forcing.

\$2.50 per dozen; \$16.00 per 100.

New single Rambler Rose LEUCHTSTERN

This new single rose is exceedingly showy and attractive. It is a wonderfully free bloomer, with large single flowers, bright rose, with a large white eye. Habit of growth and foliage are similar to Crimson Rambler. **Extra heavy plants, 35c. each; \$3.50 per dozen.**

STANDARD, OR TREE, ROSES

Crimson Rambler. —Nothing is so well adapted for growing in standard form. It makes one of the most attractive plants imaginable. **\$6.00 per dozen.**

Baby Rambler. —As this is a constant bloomer, it makes it extra desirable, when grown in standard, or tree, form. Fine, strong plants. **\$6.00 per dozen.**

Hybrid Perpetuals, Assorted Named. —Finest assortment. **\$5.00 per dozen.**

\$35.00 per 100.

Azaleas Ready for delivery in October

Next to the Easter lily these are the most important plants for Easter decoration. We shall have to offer from October until Easter a fine assortment of plants, with fine crowns, well shaped and well budded. Orders will be booked at these special low import prices for delivery in October and November. Orders should be placed at once so that advantage can be taken of these low import prices before prices advance later in the season, and while the plants can be shipped by freight, as early in the season plants travel as safely by freight as by express, and at a great saving in cost of transportation. These prices will hold good only for early shipment, as we can not afford to sell at these prices later on, after plants have been potted and put into winter quarters for spring sale. We handle only the very finest varieties, and our selection will be found to contain the very finest sorts, either for commercial purposes or private conservatories.

Apollo. —Orange-scarlet. Can be forced for Christmas.

Bernhard Andrea Alba. —Double. Pure white. Late.

Deutsche Perle. —Double. Pure white. Very early.

Empress of India. —Double. Variegated white and salmon-rose. One of the best late sorts.

Madame Joseph Vervaene. —Similar to *Vervaeneana*. Especially good in large sizes. Finest of all in this color for Easter.

Madame Van der Cruyssen. —Double. Bright rose—a very desirable and popular color.

Strong plants, 10 to 12 in. in diameter,	\$4.80 per dozen;	\$35.00 per 100
12 to 14 "	6.00 "	45.00 "
14 to 16 "	7.20 "	55.00 "
16 to 18 "	12.00 "	
18 to 20 "	24.00 "	

DWARF, OR MINIATURE AZALEAS

These dwarf azaleas, which have been grown as novelties for the past year or two, are rapidly coming into favor, and are now in great demand.

Firefly, or Hexe. —Very brilliant crimson. Splendid. \$3.60 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100

AZALEA MOLLIS

This is largely used in Europe, and is being more largely used in this country for forcing. The colors are entirely different from the Chinese azaleas offered above—colors ranging through yellow, orange and red.

Fine bushy plants, well budded, 12 to 15 in. high, \$4.80 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100



Partial view of our Exhibit of Bay-trees at the Pan-American Exposition

The above picture represents the "Chariot Race," one of the most beautiful groups of statuary in the Exposition, surrounded by a portion of our exhibit of Bay-trees, interspersed with large specimens of Hydrangea Otaksa in flower.

Rhododendron Maximum and Kalmia Latifolia.

These are now largely used in all extensive plantings, and we are prepared to furnish a very superior quality of stock in carload lots at very low rates. We can supply magnificent plants, well budded, ranging in height from two to six feet.



Pyramidal Box

Rhododendrons for Forcing

Ready in November

These are becoming more and more important for winter and Easter flowering, and are largely used for this purpose. There is nothing that makes a finer or showier plant when in full bloom than these fancy highly colored rhododendrons. They last much longer than azaleas, and should be grown largely, especially for Easter. They also make extra fine plants for Decoration Day. By hard forcing they can be had in bloom by midwinter. We offer a collection of the very choicest and best varieties for this purpose.

Chevalier F. de Sauvage. —Fine crimson.

Fastuosum flore plena. —Lavender.

John Walter. —Crimson.

Kate Waterer. —Rose, with yellow center.

Lady Clermont. —Rosy scarlet, fine shape.

Fine plants, well budded, \$12.00 per dozen; extra large plants, well budded, \$18.00 per dozen

For hardy hybrid rhododendrons for outdoor planting, see our List of Hardy Shrubs and Trees.

Pot-grown Lilacs

Ready in November

We offer the best varieties for forcing for winter flowers,—Marie Legraye, Mme. Lemoine, and Charles X. Extra fine plants, well budded, \$9.00 per dozen; \$60.00 per 100.

Bay-trees (Laurus Nobilis)

We were awarded GOLD MEDAL, Highest Award.

For Our Exhibit of Bay-trees at the Pan-American Exhibition, Buffalo, 1901, where they were largely used, forming one of the principal features of the horticultural exhibit. Standards, 7 ft. high, about 3 ft. in diameter, \$10.00 each; 3½ ft. in diameter, \$15.00 each; 4 ft. in diameter, \$20.00 each.

Pyramids, about 3½ ft. in diameter, \$15.00 each; about 4 ft. in diameter, \$20.00 each.

Boxwood

There is a large demand for these beautiful decorative plants. They make beautiful specimens, foliage being dark olive green, and are desirable for many purposes, as they are not as expensive as bay-trees. They are not only used as decorative plants for the same purpose as bay-trees, but are also used in formal outdoor planting, being perfectly hardy.

Pyramids, 3 ft. high, \$2.00 each; 3½ ft. high, \$2.50 each; 4 ft. high, \$3.50 each.

Bush form, 3 ft. high, \$2.00 each; 3½ ft. high, \$2.50 each; 4 ft. high, \$3.50 each.

Standard, or tree, heads about 1½ ft. in diameter, \$2.00 each; 2 ft. in diameter, \$3.00 each.

Dwarf Boxwood for Edging. —We have a large stock of this of extra fine quality, and can supply it in quantity. Plants 4 to 6 in. high, \$5.00 per 100; \$40.00 per 1,000.

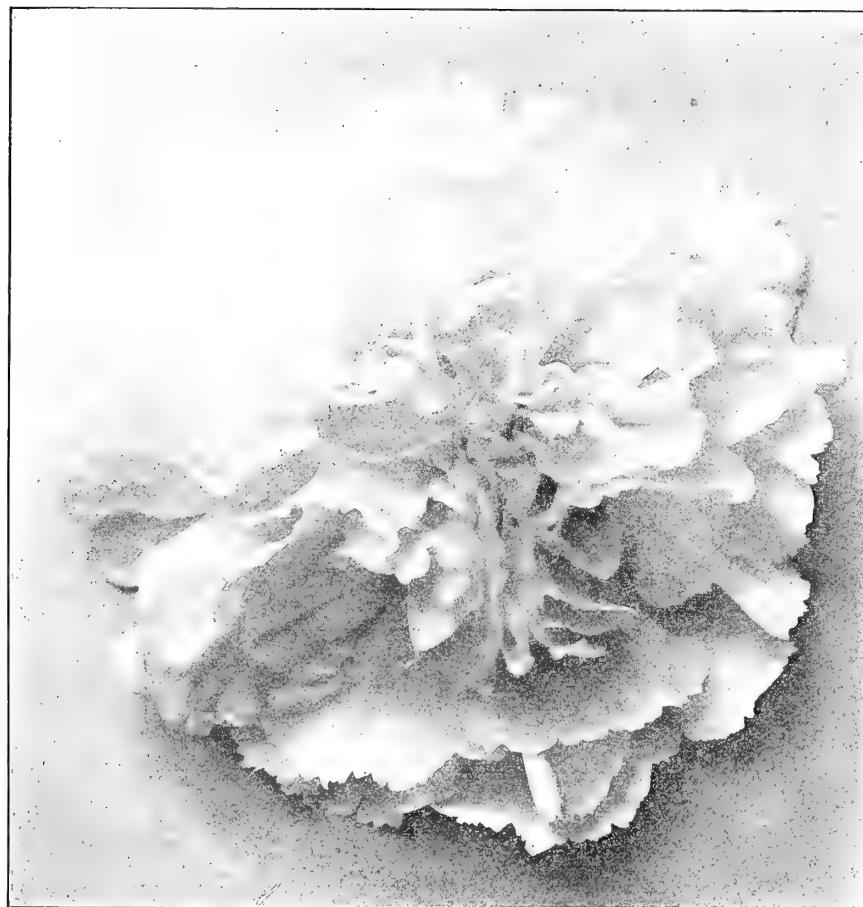
Boxwood for Edging. —Extra heavy plants for immediate effect, very broad and bushy, 12 in. high, sheared. \$6.00 per dozen; \$45.00 per 100.

OUR CARNATION NOVELTIES FOR 1907

ONE way to judge carnations is to see them on the exhibition-table. A better and more convincing way is to see them growing, therefore we cordially invite all carnation-growers to visit us the coming winter and judge for themselves in regard to the superiority of these varieties.

Helen M. Gould.—This is a beautiful sport of Enchantress. The ground-color is a lovely shade of clear pink, with very fine carmine pencilings, making an exquisite combination of colors. While on close observation this variety is variegated, the general effect is one beautiful tone of dark pink. We realized \$3.00 per dozen at wholesale for all the flowers of this variety that we had to spare at the holiday season, and it was in great demand all through the season by our best retail customers, who willingly paid us \$2.00 per dozen when the best of the older varieties were retailing at 75c. and \$1.00 per dozen. Florists who grow and sell their own flowers will find this exceedingly valuable, because it combines the carliness, freedom, long stem, and large size of Enchantress, giving another color which possesses all the other desirable qualities of Enchantress, which we believe, all things considered, has made more money for the average florist than any other variety.

Strong rooted cuttings, \$12.00 per 100; \$100.00 per 1,000



White Enchantress, Natural Size

We quote the following from one of many unsolicited letters: "You may book us for..... Winsor..... We desire to add that we still have the flowers that you sent us in the cellar, and they show absolutely no signs of getting drowsy. We presume they were cut two weeks ago. We have never seen anything that will equal it in keeping qualities, and the color has not deteriorated a particle in this respect. We believe in a way they are better to-day than when they came."—HELLER BROS., New Castle, Ind., April 11, 1906.



Helen M. Gould

White Enchantress.—This is a pure white sport of Enchantress, which is at once the most popular and most profitable carnation grown to-day, on account of its size, stem, and freedom with which it blooms. White Enchantress is identical with Enchantress in every respect except color. Those who desire quality as well as quantity will find it in White Enchantress.

Strong rooted cuttings, \$12.00 per 100; \$100.00 per 1,000

Melody.—This is a daybreak sport of Lawson—about the same color as Enchantress, but a little brighter, and does not fade like Enchantress. Those who grow the Lawson varieties successfully will find this very valuable and desirable, because it gives the Enchantress color, which is so popular, and at the same time can be grown in the same house with the other Lawsons. As the Lawsons are much better shippers also than Enchantress, this variety will appeal to growers who ship to distant points. So far as habit, stem, size, etc., go, it is identical with the Lawson varieties.

Strong rooted cuttings, \$10.00 per 100; \$75.00 per 1,000

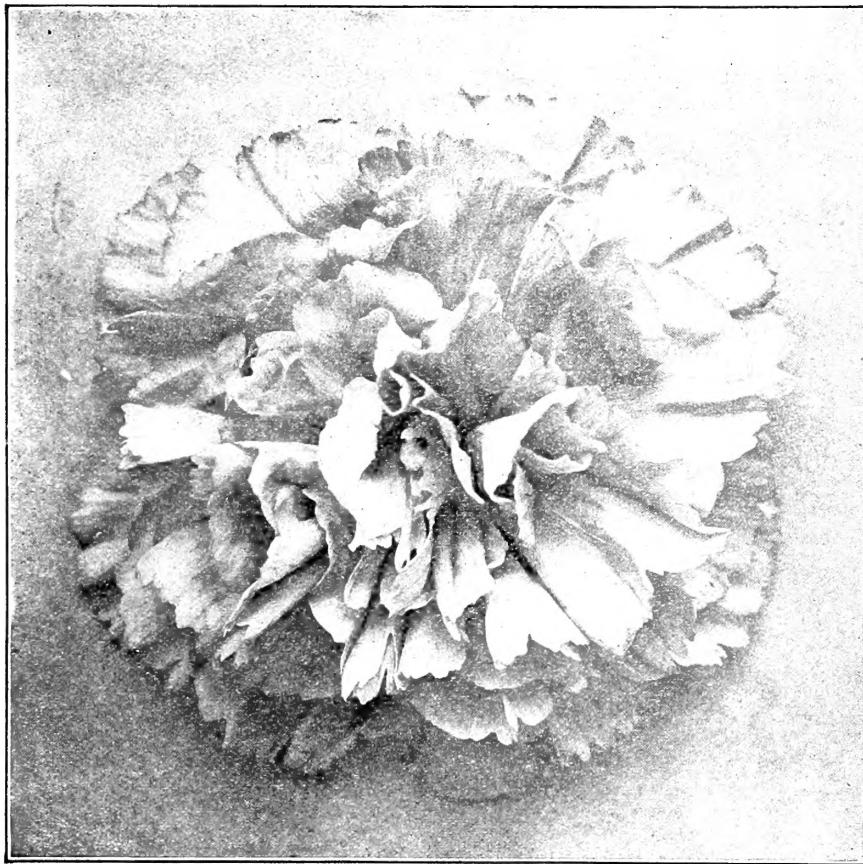
OUR CARNATION NOVELTIES FOR 1907

WINSOR

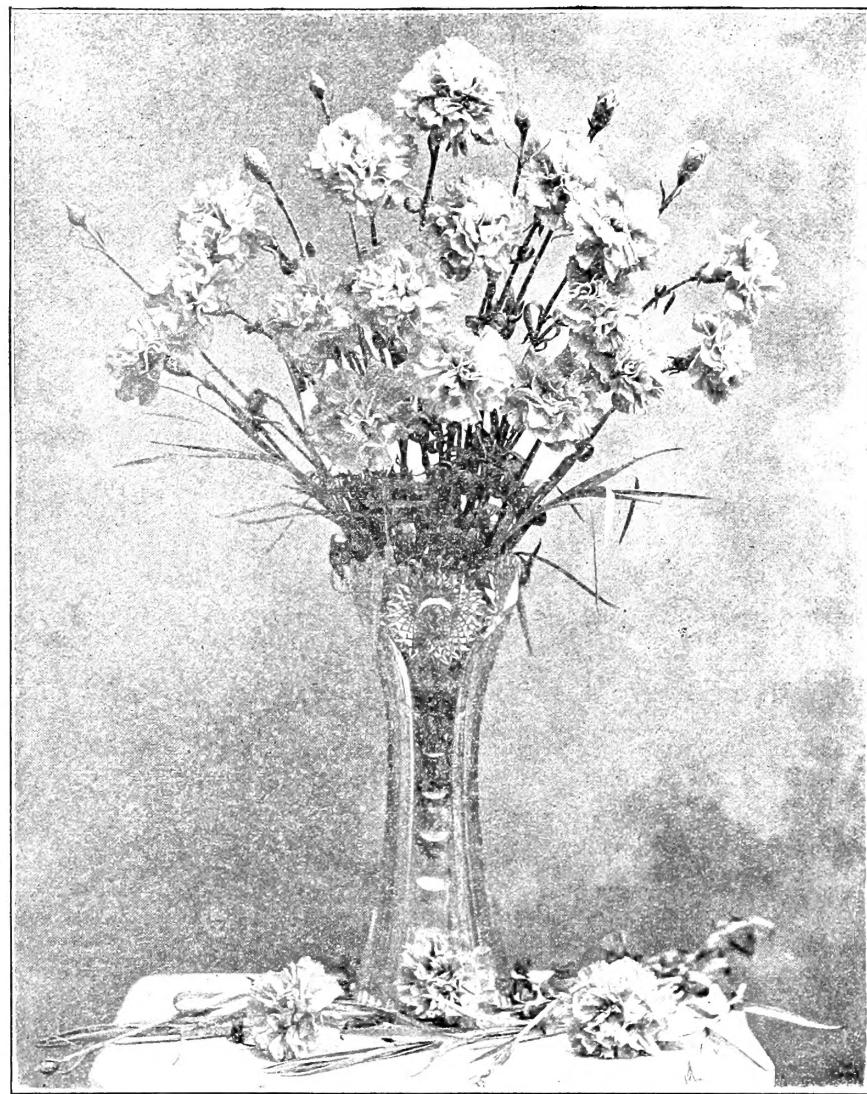
Awarded Lawson Silver Medal, American Carnation Society; Silver Medal, Horticultural Society of New York; Silver Medal, American Institute; First Prize for best 50 pink carnations, Horticultural Society of New York; and Certificates of Merit too numerous to mention.

This is sure to prove a winner. In color nothing approaches it. It is a clear silvery pink—a shade between Enchantress and Mrs. Thos. W. Lawson, and much more beautiful than either; in fact, it is just the shade of pink that we have long been trying to get. The color will make it sell in any market. The stem also is just right, and the flowers considerably larger than Lawson and of much better shape. As a grower it has every quality that can be desired. So far we have not seen any large-flowering variety so free, and as a keeper it has no equal. We have shipped flowers as far west as Minneapolis, where they arrived in splendid condition, and, we are informed, kept in splendid condition more than a week after their receipt.

We are growing 25,000 plants of Winsor for cut flowers alone for the New York market this season, which shows the faith we have in it. This will also enable visitors to see it growing in quantity, and besides that, give us enough plants to yield a great abundance of fine, healthy cuttings without overpropagating. We have already booked orders for a large quantity among the largest growers, and anticipate for this variety the largest sale of any new carnation that has ever been distributed, as every one who has seen it is enthusiastic in regard to its value; so we recommend those who have not ordered to place order without delay so as to ensure early delivery.



Winsor, Natural Size



Winsor

We have already had a phenomenal demand for it, and anticipate a still larger sale for it as its value becomes better known.

We grew a considerable quantity of this last year for the New York market, and never before was there such keen rivalry for the privilege of handling any carnation. Its merit was at once recognized, and it was thought so highly of that we were advised not to distribute it but to keep it and grow it ourselves exclusively for cut flowers. We expect to further establish its value in the New York market the coming winter, which will give buyers confidence in its value, rather than by exhibiting a few picked flowers on the exhibition-table.

Strong rooted cuttings, \$12.00 per 100; \$100.00 per 1,000

We also quote from another letter from one of the largest and most successful growers in this country, who writes us as follows: Morton Grove, Ill., April 3, 1906. The box containing the cut blooms of Winsor arrived. The blooms are all that can be desired, and to-day at 4 p. m. they are still perfect, with no sign of sleepiness. We consider it a gem among carnations." They write us later, April 9, six days later: "We are so well pleased with the keeping qualities of Winsor that we have decided to double our order. Poehlmann Bros. Co." These flowers which Messrs Poehlmann Bros. Co. report as being in such fine shape April 9 were shipped March 31.

PALMS AND OTHER DECORATIVE PLANTS

We desire to call particular attention to the fact that our palms are not forced in high temperatures, but are grown cool, so that they are very hardy, and will give much better satisfaction than stock that has been forced and grown in high temperatures.



Cocos Weddeliana

KENTIA

We have a fine stock of this popular palm—undoubtedly the most popular of all palms for house purposes, on account of its hardiness and general satisfactoriness.

We can give particularly good value in the large sizes offered. We should like to emphasize the fact that our Kentias are grown in cool summer houses out of doors, where they get plenty of air, and, in consequence, they are very hardy and will give much better satisfaction for store trade and to florists who have not special houses to devote to palms, than stock-grown in high temperatures.

BELMOREANA

Fine plants, 5-inch pots, 18 inches high.....	\$0.75	each
" 6 " 20 " 	1.00	"
" 6 " 24 " 	1.50	"
" 8 " 2½ to 3 feet high.....	4.00	"

FOSTERIANA

Large Plants for decorating		
8-inch pots, 6½ feet high.....	\$7.50	

10 " " 7 "	10.00	
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COCOS WEDDELIANA

This dainty little palm makes a fine table-plant and is largely used for the center of fern-pans, for which purpose nothing is so delicate and beautiful.

Fine plants, 3-inch pots, \$3.00 per dozen

ARAUCARIA

Small plants grown in pots are most desirable for table and decorative purposes generally. Plants resemble miniature evergreens of perfect symmetry and elegant proportions.

Excelsa.—*Norfolk Island Pine.* This is the variety that has become so popular for commercial purposes for house-culture and conservatory decoration.

Fine plants, about 16 inches high, \$1.00 each



Araucaria

GARDENIA VEITCHII.—This has become indispensable for winter-blooming. The flowers are in great demand, and bring phenomenal prices. *Veitchii* is the best of all the gardenias for winter-flowering, blooming much more freely than any other variety during midwinter. We have an extra fine stock.

Strong, bushy plants, 3-inch pots, \$35.00 per 100

The use of ferneries as ornaments for the dinner-table is now almost universal. Nothing makes so fine an ornament, and nothing is so well adapted for the purpose. We offer a nice stock of the hardiest varieties, a good collection of the best sorts.

SMALL FERNS FOR FERN-PANS

Strong plants, 2½-inch pots..... \$4.00 per 100

Strong, bushy plants, 3-inch pots, \$35.00 per 100

Strong, bushy plants, 3-inch pots, \$35.00 per 100

DRACENAS

Godseffiana.—Strong plants, 3-inch pots, \$3.00 per dozen.

Massangeana.—Strong plants, 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each.

Extra large plants, 8-inch pots, \$2.50 each.

Fragrans.—Strong plants, 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

Extra large plants, 8-inch pots, \$2.00 each.

ASPARAGUS

Sprengeri.—This has now become very popular, and is exceedingly valuable for growing for cutting for foliage. No other green that can be grown is so fine, especially to use with carnations. It grows rapidly, keeps well, customers like it, and it is profitable.

Strong plants, 2½-inch pots, \$4.00 per 100

Plumosus **Nanus.**—One of the most

profitable and useful plants. As easily grown as *Smilax*, of which it has largely taken the place, as it is very much more beautiful and desirable in every way.

Strong plants, 2½-inch pots..... \$5.00 per 100

PHOENIX ROEBELENII

A fine novelty. The rarest and finest of all *Phoenix*.

Fine plants, 5-inch pots..... \$2.00 each

FICUS PANDURATA (New)

A magnificent and stately novelty; very striking and bold; a fine house-plant; leaves very large, broad and leathery; bears no resemblance to the Common *Ficus*.

Fine plants, 7-inch pots, 3 feet high..... \$5.00 each

FICUS ELASTICA

(Rubber Plant)

This certainly is one of the best plants grown for decorative purposes. We have a grand stock. Plants are grown from top cuttings, and have large, perfect, full-sized leaves right to the pot, and are in grand shape.

Strong plants, 6-inch pots, 1½ feet high, \$6.00 per doz.

Strong plants, 6-inch pots, 2½ feet high, \$9.00 per doz.



PANDANUS VEITCHII

We have a fine stock of this elegant decorative plant—one of the most useful and beautiful ornamental house-plants. Our plants have been grown cool, and are well colored.

Strong plants, 6-inch pots, 16 inches high..... \$1.00 each

 " 7 " 20 " 1.50 "

ASPIDISTRA LURIDA VARIEGATA

This is the most durable plant grown for indoor decoration. It will grow and do well under conditions that would be sure death to many other plants. It flourishes in sunshine or shade, does not mind dust or dry air, and can stand a good deal of cold.

Fine plants, 7-inch pots, well colored..... \$2.00 and \$3.00 each



Kentia



Ficus Elastica

NEPHROLEPIS PIERSONI ELEGANTISSIMA

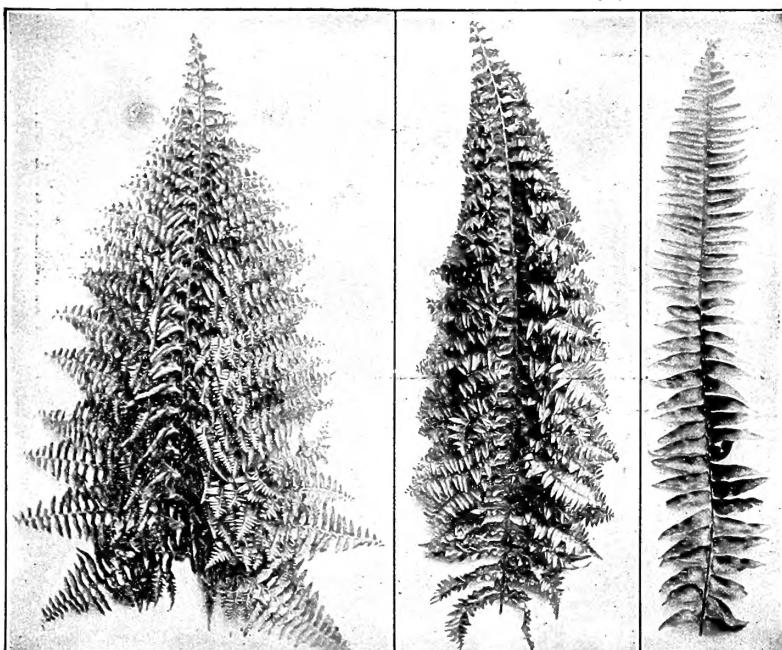
(THE TARRYTOWN FERN)

INTRODUCED BY US IN 1905

This marvelous fern is a sport from a Pierson Fern (*Nephrolepis Piersoni*), but is very much more beautiful and of greater commercial value. It is as different from the Pierson Fern as that is from the Boston. The difference in the formation of the fronds of the three varieties is well shown in the photograph below. In *Nephrolepis Piersoni* *Elegantissima* the small side pinnae are again subdivided, producing an exquisite and beautiful effect, changing the entire character of the fronds, which measure less than half the length and about twice the breadth of the fronds of the Pierson Fern. The fronds also assume an entirely different form, the side pinnae standing at right angles to the mid-rib of the frond, on edge rather than flat, as is usual, making both sides of the frond equally beautiful—entirely different from any other fern. The photographs show the beauty of the fern as well as any photograph can, but it is necessary to see the plant in order to form a correct idea of its beauty.

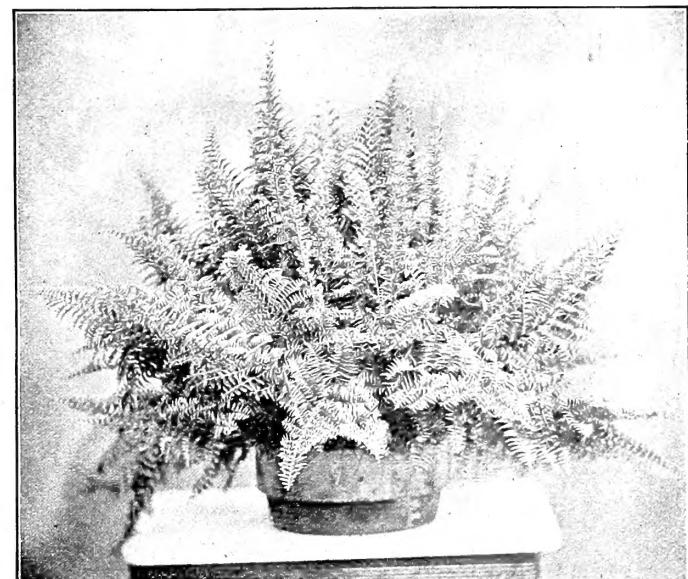
The plant is very dwarf, only about half the height of the Pierson Fern, and of very much more compact habit. Taking it altogether, it makes one of the most exquisite plants and one of the most valuable for table and house decoration that has ever been introduced. The cut fronds, on account of their beauty, are in great demand for table decoration, design-work, and for use in boxes of loose flowers. There is nothing in the fern line that is so handsome as this beautiful fern when well grown, well-grown plants making most magnificent specimens. It is the Farleyense of the *Nephrolepis* family, an aristocrat among ferns, and it is destined to become one of the most popular.

It has been exhibited before all the leading horticultural societies in this country, where it has been the recipient of the very highest awards. It has received more and higher awards than any other new plant ever before introduced in this country. At the World's Fair, St. Louis, it was awarded a gold medal. We quote the following from the report of the Judges: "The most elegant and beautiful form of *Nephrolepis* to date. Most beautiful as a pot-plant, and having great value as a cut frond for the finest floral work. Worthy of Gold medal." As another appreciation of its exceptional value, we would state that it was awarded the much-coveted fifty-dollar prize offered by the Horticultural Society of New York for the "best new plant." A list of the principal awards is given on the following page.



Piersoni Elegantissima

Photograph showing how the fronds of the three varieties of *Nephrolepis*, shown above, differ



Photograph of a specimen plant of *Nephrolepis Piersoni* *Elegantissima*

While this fern is more beautiful than the finest exotic fern, it is easily grown. It requires different treatment from other ferns. In order to develop it in its full beauty and perfection, it should be grown in the full sunlight, in rich soil, with plenty of room and air. The temperature best adapted for it is that in which roses are grown—a temperature of about 60° at night. It requires rich soil, and should be fed liberally in order to develop the beautiful mossy, feathery fronds in full perfection. If a plant becomes potbound or starved, or from any other cause is checked in its growth, it may show the Boston tendency; but when given the right conditions, it makes a most beautiful and perfect plant.

REDUCED PRICES FOR FALL DELIVERY

Nephrolepis Piersoni *Elegantissima* was introduced by us in the spring of 1905, and the sales have been more than satisfactory, proving that its great value is understood. The price at which it was introduced was high, and probably many florists felt that it was too expensive a plant for them to handle; but having accumulated a sufficient stock to warrant reducing the price, we are pleased to state that we can now offer small plants for growing on at a price within the reach of all.

As this plant grows so rapidly, florists will find that the small plants offered, if given care and attention, will make money for them more rapidly than any other stock that they can grow.

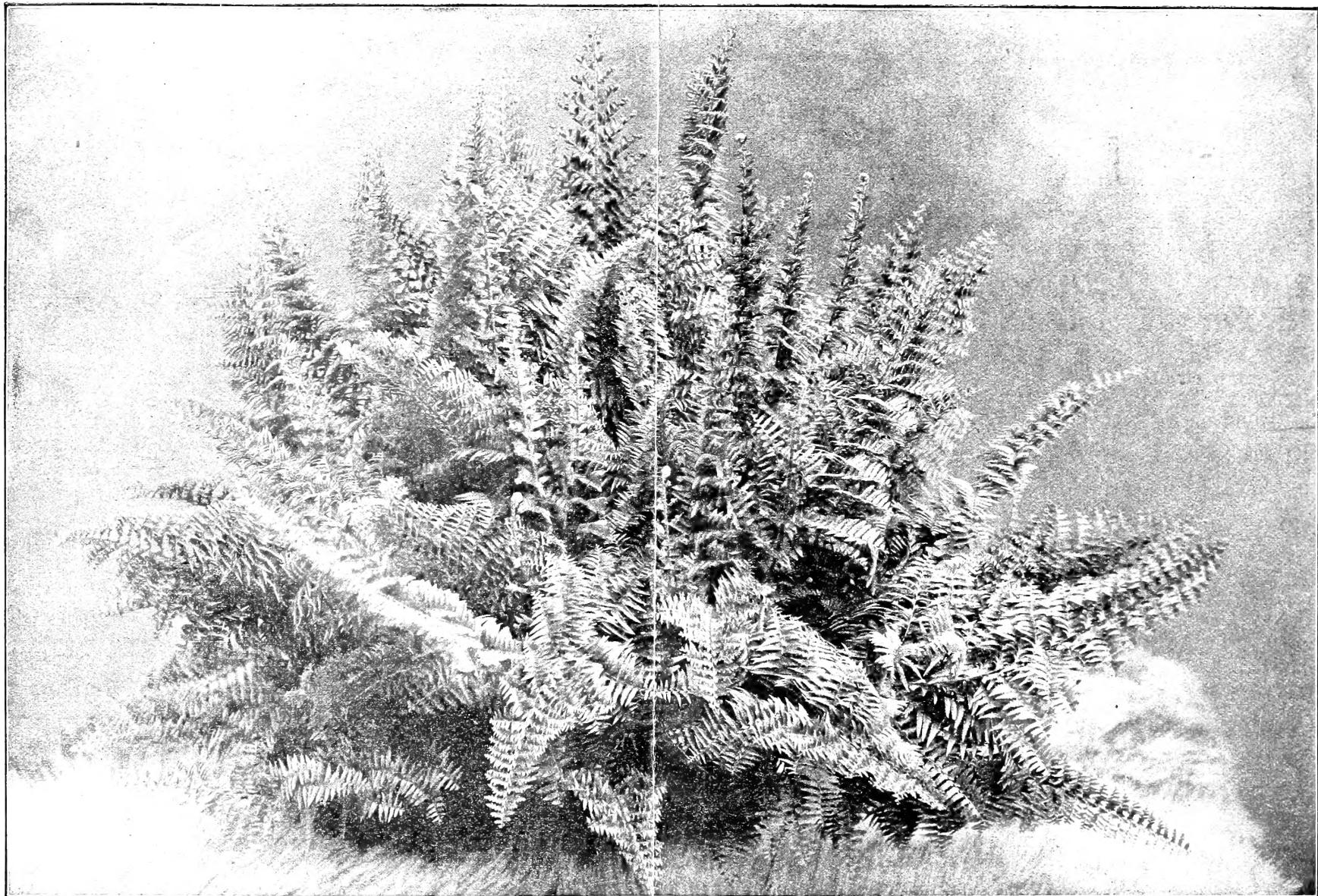
Extra strong plants, 2½-in. pots, \$12.00 per 100

LARGE SPECIMEN PLANTS FOR RETAIL FLORISTS

READY FOR IMMEDIATE SALE

Florists will find these large specimen plants readily salable and very profitable. They sell on sight. We have a large stock in the various sizes offered below for fall and winter trade.

Fine specimen plants, 6-in pans,		\$1.00 each
"	"	2.00 "
"	"	3.00 "
"	"	5.00 "
"	"	7.50 "
"	"	10.00 "



NEPHROLEPIS PIERSONI ELEGANTISSIMA (The Tarrytown Fern) THE BEST RECORD OF ANY NEW PLANT

AWARDED THE MUCH - COVETED \$50.00 PRIZE, HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW YORK,
FOR THE BEST NEW PLANT OF THE YEAR

GOLD MEDAL—WORLD'S FAIR, LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION, ST. LOUIS



Gold Medal
Missouri Botanical Gardens

Silver Medal
Society of American Florists
(Highest Award)

Silver Medal
Massachusetts Horticultural Society

Gold Medal
Rhode Island Horticultural Society

Silver Medal
New York Florists' Club
(Highest Award)

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Gold Medal
Pennsylvania Horticultural Society

Silver Medal
American Institute, New York
(Highest Award)

Gold Medal
New Orleans Horticultural Society

Silver Medal
Tarrytown Horticultural Society
(Highest Award)

Silver Medal
Newport Horticultural Society